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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated <u>September 19, 2005</u>, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper

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An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following page 11 of this paper.